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Ghazi: Officials in the Sudan People's Liberation Movement (SPLM) are trying to justify continuation of sanctions

(Al-Ray Al-Aam)

Presidency approves on ideas and suggests others for a settlement with Washington

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Nafie: America is not owned by the SPLM

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Government of Sudan denies the existence of a "secret deal" to release Khalil's brother

Presidential Advisor Ghazi Salah Eldeen has denied the existence of a "secret deal" between the Government of Sudan and Khalil Ibrahim, leader of the Justice and Equality Movement (JEM), to release Khalil's brother, who has been convicted in relation to last year's attack on Omdurman. Ghazi questioned what the Government of Sudan would benefit from if there was such a deal, and said "if there was anything like that it should be in the open in order to get political points."

(Al-Ahdath, Al-Ray Al-Aam)

Pagan: National Congress Party (NCP) seeks a unity that targets "resources of the south," not its people

Secretary General of the SPLM Pagan Amum has warned against tampering with the right of self-determination for the people of southern Sudan. Amum said that the statement made by the speaker

of the National Assembly about "making separation difficult" signifies the "expansionist mentality of the NCP," which "denies others their rights of self-determination."

(Al-Ray Al-Aam, Khartoum Monitor)

Chad: We have no aggressive intentions towards Sudan

The Chadian Minister of Foreign Affairs has asserted his country's "readiness to activate the monitoring mechanism" between Khartoum and N'djamena signed in the Doha agreement. He urged Sudan to "fix the sites of Sudanese opposition in Chad." The Minister also "admitted that Khalil Ibrahim might come to N'djamena on the request of mediators" but "denied that Khalil is living in Chad." He added that "Chad has no aggressive intentions towards Sudan."

(Al-Ray Al-Aam)

Abdel Wahid accuses the Government of Sudan of shelling his troops

Yesterday, the Sudan Liberation Army/Abdel Wahid Mohamed Nur faction accused the Government of Sudan of launching air attacks on its troops in Darfur. Nur said that dozens were injured in the attacks.

(Al-Ray Al-Aam)

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